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Preston and William Bown
Utah Building Stone Supply
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Re: Interim Reclamation Surety, Lynn Springs Quarry, M/003/025, Box Elder County, Utah

Dear Messrs. Bown:

In response to the Division's April 4, 1996 letter, you called Lynn Kunzler of my staff on April 8, 1996. You informed him of your decision to continue with the permitting of the Lynn Springs Quarry as a large mining operation instead of pursuing a small mining permit for this site. During this phone conversation, you raised questions regarding the access road and whether it should be included as part of the Lynn Springs Quarry disturbance. You also requested an interagency site inspection to review this issue. An inspection was subsequently performed on April 10, 1996.

As a result of this on-site inspection (memo attached) between Gordon Struthers of the Forest Service, Lynn Kunzler and yourselves, it was confirmed that the access road should be considered part of the Lynn Springs Quarry disturbance. Consequently, you will need to reclaim this road upon final reclamation of the Lynn Springs Quarry. It was also determined that the previous acreage estimate (2.19 acres) for the access road was in error. The road was measured during this inspection and found to be only 1.53 acres. We agreed that the road reclamation (in its existing state) could be accomplished for \$750 dollars per acre vs. the \$1,500 estimate used to calculate the original interim surety amount. With the reduced acreage and reduced cost factored into the surety estimate, this will reduce the required surety amount by \$2,000 dollars. Therefore, the Division has revised the amount of the interim surety to \$9,500. The deadline for submitting the interim surety will remain April 26, 1996. Please note, this is only the interim surety amount. This amount may change either up or down based on the final approved reclamation plan. It is in your best interest to complete the permitting as quickly as possible.

We look forward to meeting with you in our office on April 26, 1996 at 10:00 a.m. to discuss the outstanding permitting issues for the Lynn Springs Quarry. These items are outlined in our March 11, 1996, review letter which was hand delivered to you during the April 10, 1996 inspection. Should you have any questions regarding this action, please don't hesitate to give us a call.

Sincerely,

D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Minerals Regulatory Program

Attachment

cc: Gordon Struthers, USFS

